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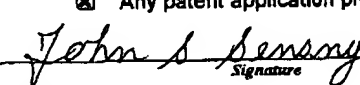
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| <b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>  |  |                                | Docket No.<br><b>9872</b>      |         |                   |
| Applicant(s): <b>Ted Christopher</b>  |  |                                |                                |         |                   |
| Serial No.<br><b>08/746,360</b>   | Filing Date<br><b>November 8, 1996</b> | Examiner<br><b>F. Jaworski</b> | Group Art Unit<br><b>3737</b>  |         |                   |
| Invention: <b>FINITE AMPLITUDE DISORTION-BASED INHOMOGENEOUS PULSE ECHO<br/>ULTRASONIC IMAGING</b>  |  |                                |                                |         |                   |
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| Invention: <b>FINITE AMPLITUDE DISTORTION-BASED INHOMOGENEOUS PULSE ECHO<br/>ULTRASONIC IMAGING</b>  |  |                                |                               |
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